

The News.

A heavy snowstorm was prevailing in Canada last week.

Ex-President Arthur is at Fortress Monroe suffering from a low type of typhus fever.

An Ohio Legislative Committee says the Bell Telephone Company is an imperious monopoly.

The [?] ways of the Cuyler Colliery at Raven Run, Penn'a., caved in April 5th, entombing ten men.

Drunkenness is greatly on the increase in Mexico, according to the statement in the *Two Republics* of that city.

El Mahdi the false prophet of Egypt has now got a rival named El Makki, whose following is increasing, and has alarmed the followers of El Mahdi.

It is estimated that half the wheat crop of Kansas will prove a total loss. Farmers are reported to be plowing their wheat fields and sowing other grain.

The New Jersey house of Representatives has passed a law requiring all children between the age of 7 and 12 years to attend school at least twenty weeks a year.

A groceryman at Keokuk, Ia., who has a keen eye to business, in subscribing \$1 to a church entertainment, added after his signature, "the only place in Keokuk where you can get sixteen pounds of sugar for a \$1."

The allocation of [?] the pope the other day censures all the Catholic diplomats who attended the recent ceremony of laying the corner-stone of the monument of Victor Emanuel, and denounces the ceremony itself as a sinful tribute to one of the greatest enemies of the Holy Church.

Some idea can be gained of the business of this country from the fact that the fast mail train put into operation on Monday by the Pennsylvania R. R. shortening the distance between New York and St. Louis to 29 hours saves the Bankers of St. Louis \$60,000 a year in interest upon remittances.

While a heavy snow storm was passing over Washington city last Wednesday afternoon the Washington monument was struck three times by lightning without the least damage. Col. Casey examined the aluminum tip this morning with a powerful telescope and found it as sharp and bright as when placed on the summit some months since.

President Barrios of Guatemala has invaded the Salvadorian frontier contrary to the promise given by him to the U. S., not to invade Salvador. Senator Edmunds offered a resolution in executive session of the Senate stating that prompt action should be taken to preserve the autonomy of Central American Republics and preserve the interest of the United States.

The following is a dispatch from the Secretary of the Navy to Commander Kane of the *Albatross*: "Aspinwall is in ashes, burnt by insurgents to escape capture by Government troops. The Pacific Mail Dock, the Railroad property on the north end of the island and the Canal property at Cristal are the only buildings saved. The shipping is safe. I have all my force on land protecting property. My ship is crowded with refugees. Thousands are destitute and without shelter."

The following incident is given by the *Salt Lake Tribune*: "Apostle Tardel, in an address to the Mormons at Nephi, Utah, counseled the children as follows: 'I want to caution the children. There's men around asking the children how many wives their fathers have. If they ask you that tell them you don't know. I'd rather have you tell a lie to defend your friends and parents than tell the truth that will bring trouble upon them.' That's the advice of a polygamist."

The present number of roller skating rinks in the United States is estimated at thirty thousand. There are on an average six persons attached to each rink for the purpose of conducting the pastime, making 180,000 in all. A New York dealer says that from thirty to forty thousand pairs of skates are sold each week, and that five hundred establishments are engaged in the manufacture of the article. The average workman to each factory is set down at forty, making 20,000 in all. According to these figures 200,000 persons are drawing a direct living from this rink business. The skaters are reckoned as amounting to millions, each one of whom expends not less than \$1 a week in the amusement. The large rinks in New York take in \$2,500 daily, thus showing a patronage of ten thousand skaters at 25 cents each. The price of skates ranges all the way from 30 cents a pair for sidewalk use, to \$6.

The rebellion against the Canadian Government which has been for a long time fermenting and which has now become quite formidable, is led by a mongrel of French and Indian extraction named Riel, a man of some good natural parts and having been educated for the priesthood possessed that additional advantage. He first came into notice by his leadership of the disaffected Red River half breeds in their attempt to throw off the yoke of the Dominion, but this rebellion was promptly put down. After a short period of imprisonment he has again appeared upon the stage and with about 1200 men armed with Remington rifles and six American cannons, is now attracting a governmental attention.

The Reading Circle.

Last week's meeting of this society took place at the residence of Mr. Jno. Kurtz. The attendance was good, and a very pleasant evening was passed. A tasty and welcome lunch had been provided by the ladies of the family. After some miscellaneous reading, the "special order" ("The Courtship of Miles Standish") was taken up, and was continued to the point where the old Puritan hero, his heart filled with love for Priscilla and hate for the red man, had led his mighty host of eight men to battle; and where that foolish youth, John Alden, seeking to win for Standish his own heart's idol, had, through a glance at the wistful eyes of the demure Priscilla, standing near by, torn up his ticket for return passage to old England on the good ship Mayflower, of the Pilgrim Line. A vote of thanks was tendered Mr. Kurtz and family for their kind hospitality; and that gentleman, in response, assured his guests that they would ever have a hearty welcome when they elected to hold a meeting under his roof. Next Thursday evening the Society will assemble at the residence of County Sup't Worst, when the "Courtship" will be concluded, to be followed by "Evangeline."—WILLIAMSPORT (PAK.) RECORD.

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2:43 "	2:08 "	10:00 "
3:40 "	3:05 "	10:50 "
4:08 "	3:33 "	11:20 "
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